



GRADE VIII.
PROMOTION TESTS, 1936.

HISTORY AND CIVICS

Time—2 hours.

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- 12 1. Select any *three* of the following and show how each helped towards the growth of parliamentary power in England:

- (a) The Magna Carta.
- (b) Simon de Montfort's Parliament.
- (c) William III, and Parliament.
- (d) Parliament under George I.
- (e) The Reform Acts of 1832, 1844-55.

- 9 2. Write brief notes telling clearly the chief contribution made by any *three* of the following:

Disraeli.	Gladstone.
Pitt the Elder.	George E. Cartier.
Walpole.	Joseph Howe.

- 12 3. How did each of the following contribute to the growth of the British Empire in India:

Either { (a) The East India Company.
(b) Warren Hastings.
(c) Robert Clive.

Or { How did each of the following contribute to the growth of the British Empire in Africa:
(a) David Livingstone.
(b) Cecil Rhodes.
(c) Emigration in 1820.

- 12 4. Write brief careful notes on the following:

Either { (a) Lord Shaftesbury and the Factory Act of 1833.
(b) The Poor Law Act of 1834.
(c) The work of John Howard, and Elizabeth Fry.

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- Or { (a) What were the causes of the Industrial Revolution in England?
(b) What were its effects on the working classes in the nineteenth century? What are its effects today?
- 12 5. (a) "The Constitutional Act carried within it the seeds of future trouble." Mention the weaknesses of the Act.
(b) Estimate the soundness of Lord Durham's recommendations.
- 12 6. { Give a clear account of *three* events which led
Either { to the passing of the British North America Act.
Or { Explain the Federal System of Government as we have it today.
- 6 7. (a) What are the functions of the International Joint Commission (Canadian and American)?
(b) How was any *one* of the following disputes settled:
The Western Boundary dispute.
The Alaska Boundary dispute.
The Canadian Fisheries dispute.
- 8 8. State briefly the functions of *two* of the following:
(a) The Board of Public Utility Commissioners.
(b) The Workmen's Compensation Board.
(c) The Civil Service Commissioner.
- 6 9. Explain briefly the meaning of any *three* of the following:
Real property. Indirect tax.
Improvement tax. A poll tax.
Debenture issue. The Speaker.
Order in Council. Responsible Government.
- 5 10. { Mention at least *three* main sources from which
Either { the Dominion Government derives revenue.
Or { Mention *five* main sources of revenue for the Alberta Government.
- 6 11. (a) Under what conditions may a person become naturalized in Canada?
(b) Of what importance is the Statute of Westminster to Canadians?